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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS AND IMAGE FORMING SYSTEM

[ ] The Applicant claims Small Entity Status.

Enclosed are:

- [X] 10 sheets of drawings ([X] formal [ ] informal).  
[X] 22 pages of specification.  
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